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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

GREGORY F. BECK, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/166,488

Filed: October 5, 1998

For: CHANNEL PROTOCOL FOR  
IEEE 1394 DATA TRANSMISSION

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Examiner: Justin King

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September 22, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed below and on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

(1) Mitchell, Danny, "1394 Software Transaction Layer and Bus Management," Texas Instruments, February 18, 1998, pp. 1-40.

(2) Wright, Maury, "EDN Hands-On Project: Firewire Unleashes The Power of Digital Video," EDN, July 3, 1997, pp. 45-57.

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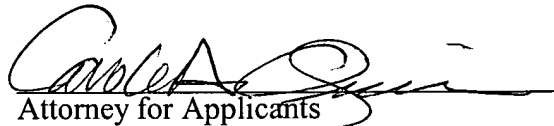
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It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

The subject application has received an Office Action on the merits but has not yet received either a final action or a Notice Of Allowance. Accordingly, enclosed is a check for the required fee of \$180.00 to cover the Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(c)(2). Consideration of the art cited herein is accordingly deemed proper, and such action is respectfully requested.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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